

Remarks

Claims 15-31 are canceled.

Claims 6-14 are now present in this application.

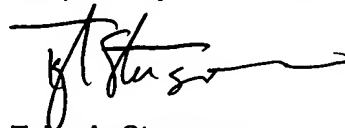
Claims 6-14 are allowed.

The specification is amended to update the reference to the parent.

Non-elected subject matter is canceled. Applicants reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications aimed at the non-elected matter.

Applicants submit that the present claims are in condition for allowance and kindly request that the present application be passed to issue.

Respectfully submitted,



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